ELLIOTT BAY NRDA RESTORATION

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North Wind Weir Vision

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TRUSTEE VISION FOR NORTH WIND WEIR

The Trustee's vision focuses on restoring the various habitat components of the Elliott Bay and lower Duwamish River ecosystems through pollutant source control, sediment remediation, and habitat development. The vision places emphasis on reducing, rescheduling, or eliminating combined sewer overflows, educating people about nonpoint pollution problems in the watershed, removing contaminated sediments to improve resource and human health, and the restoration or replacement of estuarine and marine habitats.

GOAL:

The goal of the North Wind Weir Project is to increase estuarine and associated vegetative buffers for fish and wildlife resources and to provide public educational opportunities about habitat restoration methods.

OBJECTIVES:

- Improve intertidal habitat to assist migrating salmonids acclimate on their downstream passage.
- 2. Stabilize the shoreline and plant native vegetation to improve riparian conditions.
- 3. Provide a natural area for public educational activities.



